Hello all,

I believe many of you are attending AGU next week, where in-person or virtually. We've curated a list of AGU Sessions of Interest for ABoVE, and there are several sessions that have student presentations being considered for the Outstanding Student Presentation Award (OSPA). **Please consider serving as a judge** (whether for our sessions or for others!), as it's an excellent way to support and provide feedback to early career scientists.

ABoVE-related presentations that need judges:

B15C-1432 (poster) - Hot spots of methane and carbon dioxide fluxes from eddy covariance measurements in the Yukon-Kuskokwim Delta, Alaska

B23C-06 (oral) - Repeat Short-Interval Fires drive Changes in Biomass and Soil Carbon in Interior Alaska, Regardless of Local Site Conditions or Resilience

B31E-05 (oral) - Permafrost Thaw Drives Surface Water Drainage Across the Pan-Arctic

B31E-08 (oral) - Understanding Active Layer Thickness Variability Under Changing Climatic Conditions Across the North American Taiga-Tundra Ecotone

B34D-01 (eLightning)- Influence of Increased Carbon and Nitrogen Availability on Nitrogen Processing in Headwater Arctic Streams

To volunteer as a judge: (please read carefully – the system is a bit clunky. If you get stuck, feel free to reach out and ask me for help)

- Click on the "Volunteer" link on the bottom of the AGU OSPA homepage.
- Log in using the email address and password associated with your AGU membership account.
- Upon entering the system, you will be asked to agree to the OSPA honor code and rules of contest.
- Select presentations to evaluate from the Showcase and Add to your list. There are a lot here and it can be hard to navigate. I suggest filtering the list by the session #, e.g. B15C, to find the relevant presentation.
- Presentations can be evaluated beginning 13 December 2021. All evaluations must be submitted by 3 January 2022.

Best, Libby